

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

(IRRIGATION BRANCH)

The 2nd July, 1974

No. 5001-A-1PWII-74/25395.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 5-A of the Punjab Betterment charges and Acreage Rates Act, 1952 (Punjab Act No. 2 of 1953), the Governor of Haryana hereby fixes the following rates of advance payment of betterment charges for Rabi 1973-74 in respect of matured areas included in the Bhakra Nangal Project, the Western Jumna Canal Remodelling Project, Rewari Lift Scheme, Gurgaon Canal Project, Jui Lift Irrigation Scheme, B. N. Chakravarty (Sewani) Lift Irrigation Scheme and Indira Gandhi (Loha-u) Lift Irrigation Scheme, namely:—

	<i>Rates per matured acre</i>	
	Gravity flow Irrigation or Lift Irrigation at Government expenses	Lift Irrigation maintained and operated by land owners
	Rs	Rs
1. Areas which will ultimately receive perennial Irrigation ..	10.00	5.00
2. Areas which will ultimately receive non-perennial irrigation ..	5.00	2.50
3. Areas which will ultimately receive restricted perennial irrigation. ..	7.50	3.75
4. Areas where the type of irrigation is not remain the same but ultimately there is to be an improvement in capacity factor, in intensity or water allowance, ..	2.50	1.25
5. Areas where non-perennial irrigation is ultimately to be converted into perennial irrigation ..	5.00	2.50
6. Areas where non perennial irrigation is ultimately to be converted into restricted perennial irrigation ..	2.50	1.25

Provided that:—

- (i) in the case of Chahi lands in such areas, the rates of advance payment of betterment charges shall be half of the above rates;
- (ii) on areas under sabqarauni where no crop is grown but occupiers rates are charged, the advance payment of betterment charges shall not be levied.
- (iii) where there has been a failure of crop in any area and occupiers rates have been remitted, the advance payment of betterment charges on such areas shall be remitted proportionately.
- (iv) advance payment of betterment charges shall not be levied on area under fodder crops, subject to maximum of 1 per cent of the total matured area of each individual land owner;
- (v) advance payment of betterment charges shall not be levied on area matured under "Wadi Water", and in case where two successive crops have been sown and matured in a field in the same harvest, advance payment of betterment charges for the harvest shall be charged once only.